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GDR PAPER CHARGES CIA ROLE IN COUPS

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In CIA headquarters, an eight-story, white coment structure which is located in an out-of-the-way grove near Langley (Virginia) eight miles from Washington, and in approximately 30 additional offices of the American intelligence service scattered throughout numerous U.S. states, some 15,000 employees of this notorious institution concern themselves with U.S. "foreign policy."

Brought into being on the basis of a law ratified in 1947 -- the National Security Act -- and emerging from the Office of Strategic Services created during World War II, the CIA has become the executive organ of the U.S. National Security Council, that group of politicians and generals who enjoy the unlimited confidence of the military-industrial complex and who are supposed to achieve success for Washington's imperialist global strategy in the countries concerned by using all available means, from extortion to open invasion.